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*Enclosed are*

15 pages of specification, including 20 claims, plus 4 sheets of *formal* drawings.

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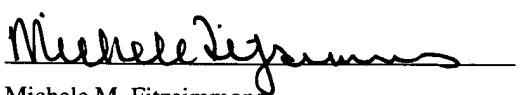
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